



In re-application of

**Richard W. Pekala**

Confirmation No. 3559

Application No. 10/679,230

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For: **ANTIOXIDANT-COATED LEAD ACID  
BATTERY SEPARATORS HAVING  
IMPROVED ELECTRICAL AND  
MECHANICAL PROPERTIES**

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Applicant's attorney/agent hereby petitions that the time for response to the March 17, 2005 Office action, having a June 17, 2005 expiration date, be extended for a period of three months to September 17, 2005.

A check for \$510.00 for the extension fee is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

**Richard W. Pekala**

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